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OBSERVANCE

Of Sunday Without Authority in Protestant Creeds Says Deliver.

Strict Presbyterian Traces Custom Back to Catholic Church.

Found That Easter Was Feast Which Brought About Change.

ARGUMENT FULL OF INTEREST

Not only the clergy but the laymen frequently come in contact with people who are seeking the true light of religion. Even the editors of secular papers are occasionally bumped into by those groping through the dark. Apropos of this fact is a recent letter from a good, old-fashioned Presbyterian in the Empire State. In the Syracuse Herald he read a letter on "Sunday observance." The Presbyterian had been a reader and a thinker, and evidently he thought to some purpose. Recently he replied to the letter, and the editor of the Syracuse Herald considered his response good enough to print verbatim.

This Presbyterian tells us that he was brought up to read King James' Bible and to observe strictly the first day of the week, Sunday, as the Sabbath. He says he was amazed then, forty years ago, to hear an Adventist preacher attack the Sunday observance as against the express commandment of the Bible. The preacher's argument set the Presbyterian thinking. In those days of forty years ago the new religions like the Mormons and Christian Scientists used Sunday as their day of public assemblage. The matter set our Presbyterian friend to thinking. He says a book known as "The Religious and Religious Ceremonies of All Nations," published at Hartford, Conn., in 1823, fell into his hands. Then to quote him:

"I found a long and fair treatise in that book on the Roman Catholic church, also a history of the rise of all denominations among Protestants, starting with Luther, Calvin, Zwingli and Henry VIII. The book said that the difference between the Roman Catholic church and these Protestant denominations lay in the substitution of private judgment and the Bible as against the authority of that church. I had been reading my Bible all this time most attentively. I talked frequently with a good old Presbyterian lady who had read her Bible through twenty-three times. Neither of us, in our conferences, could ever find one word of command in the Bible for the observance of the first day of the week, Sunday, and it gave us much pain and confusion to defend or explain satisfactorily our position. Thrown back on the Reformation period, I found that the Reformer Calvin had made use of a day already in observance by all Christians. It was as convenient a day for him as it was for Christian Science, or the Mormons. Here I seemed blocked and had to acknowledge the corn.

"I then started in with what information I had gleaned from Williams' interesting book about the Catholic church, and I found that the Catholic books wherever I could obtain them, and after years of study and historical research, I came to the conclusion (it may shock my dear friend, Dr. Howland, of the Presbyterian church in Syracuse, instead of observance of Sunday, instead of the Jewish Sabbath, is one of the proofs (an institution) of Christ's resurrection. I found that in the Catholic church every Sunday of the year is an echo of the resurrection joy of Easter, like the Fourth of July to American independence, only that Easter joy extended in every seventh day throughout the year. No fasting allowed on that day, no penitential abstinence, no funeral solemnity.

"Another thing I found out as I went back through the centuries, tracing the history of Sunday observance, there was a law of this church from the earliest times commanding all her subjects to her mass on Sunday and obligatory week days, and to rest from servile works that as Christians they might thus go to mass and worship God 'by the sacrifice of the Eucharist' on the Lord's day. This was a revelation to me. I talked much about my finding with my friends. They advised against reading such books. I replied that I desired to get at the root of things as well as institutions, and I was convinced that since Catholics had such history they were its best interpreters.

Despite the admonition of his friends our Presbyterian friend continued to search for light, and he writes: "To find that the first day of the week was primarily a day of worship by attending at mass, and secondarily of rest in order that a particular worship be given to God, caused me another jolt. Neither the Bible then, I concluded, nor private judgment, nor civil authority, had made the day, nor originated the command of its observance. It has always been a question in my mind whether the Christian Constantine, by his Sunday edict at Milan in 321, did so in recognition of a continuous Christian practice, or to favor his pagan subjects, still worshippers of the sun. However one may view this question, I was right up against the observance of Easter Sunday, for in the Council of Nice, held in 325 with Constantine present, over 300 Catholic Bishops legislated for all Christians for the uniform observance of

Easter Sunday, 'on the Sunday following the first full moon after March 21.' It seemed to me that some among the Christians were celebrating the resurrection on the fourteenth of the Jewish month and at the time of the Jewish Passover, instead of on the first day of the week, when Christ really rose, and as it had been celebrated in the day of persecution before Constantine. It was to correct this among other things that the council was held. So I read the ancient documents.

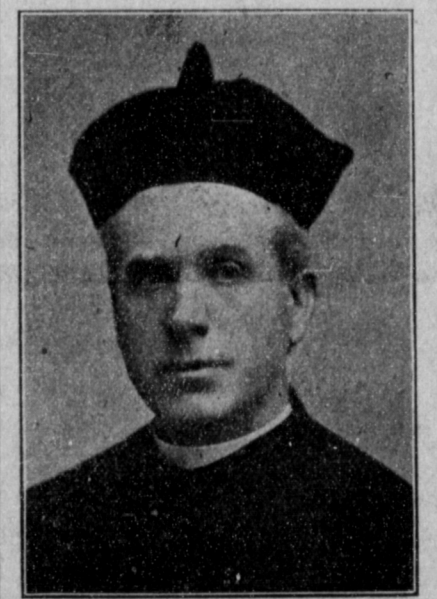
"Like my friend and namesake in New York City, a fifty-year critic in the columns of the New York Tribune, I was unmoved by modern theories or changes, but held my mind unshaken and free to judge the past by the past and measure the amount of drift from historic moorings. What a surprise it was to me in those days to find also that exactness in the observance of the Easter resurrection fact has given us the very calendar which we use today, on the authority of the very church which I was trained to look upon as corrupt and misleading. After all these hard historic facts, and I think they can not be gainsaid by any intelligent person, for I verified them again and again.

"Speaking from this historic point of view and still tenacious of my old Presbyterian bringing up, it seems to me that the ministers themselves are contending for the wrong observance of a day which the Roman Catholic church has made and not civil authority. It is a day of a particular worship, the mass, which the ministers have not got nor believe in. Their very Bible does not authorize Sunday, nor the Adventist or Jew observe it. The worship of these ministers is against the historic worship of that day, the Lord's day. As for me, I simply give the historic conclusions of my own research and the religion of my parents undisturbed and as good enough for me."

NEEDED REST.

Rev. Father A. J. Brady Enjoys Brief Respite.

The Rev. A. J. Brady, pastor of St. Cecilia's church, has gone to West Baden Springs for a stay of ten days.



For a year past Father Brady has been busy superintending the building of his new church. Within the month he has had the additional burden of a hazy. With these and his ordinary duties as pastor Father Brady has been an overworked man, and a brief respite from active work was made imperative.

His friends hope to see him home in a few days and express the wish that he will be able to resume active and vigorous work at once. Father Brady has done hard and effective work since he became pastor of St. Cecilia's church. He has made the building of the new church the special effort of his life. He is about to see his hopes bear fruit. The new church is now under roof and its embellishment is being pushed as rapidly as possible. It is expected that the church will be ready for dedication in the late summer or early fall.

LONG LIFE CLOSED.

Death of Mrs. Catherine Byrne Causes Sincere Sorrow.

Mrs. Catherine Byrne, an old and respected lady of Louisville, died at her home, 1214 South Second street, on Monday night. Death resulted from the infirmities of old age. The deceased was born in Ireland seventy-two years ago, but had spent more than half a century in Louisville. Her husband, Martin Byrne, a pioneer livestock broker in this city, died more than twenty years ago.

She is survived by the following children: Charles Byrne, livestock agent for the Pennsylvania Company; Joseph W. Byrne, County Indexer; William J. Byrne and Martin Byrne, livestock brokers; and Miss Mary Byrne. The funeral took place from St. Louis Bertrand church Thursday morning, and the attendance indicated the esteem in which the deceased was held. The pallbearers were Edward J. O'Brien, Edward T. Tierney, William H. Newman, John P. Carney, Jerome King, Thomas D. Claire, Frank McAttee and Edward Clancy.

Few ladies in Louisville were better known and more highly esteemed than Mrs. Byrne, and her death caused general and sincere sorrow.

IRON RUST.

For iron rust soak the stains with lemon juice, sprinkle with salt and bleach for several hours in the sun.

BIRTHPLACE

Will Be Mecca For Catholic Knights of America in May.

National Convention in State Capitol Building at Nashville.

Kentucky Delegates and Uniform Rank in Prominent Place.

HEARTY WELCOME FOR VISITORS

Soon the eyes of Catholics in all parts of the United States will turn Southward and to Nashville, Tenn., where the Catholic Knights of America, one of the strongest and most influential fraternal insurance organizations in America, will hold their national convention, from May 10 to 14, for the entertainment of which the city and State have joined in making preparation. The convention will be solemnly opened on Tuesday morning, May 10, at the pro-cathedral, with Pontifical high mass by the Right Rev. Thomas S. Byrne, Bishop of Nashville, and the solemn will be delivered by the Most Rev. John J. Glennon, D. D., Archbishop of St. Louis and Spiritual Director of the Catholic Knights of America.

The convention sessions will be held in the Senate chamber of the State Capitol building, where the delegates and visitors will be welcomed to the city by the Governor of Tennessee and the Mayor of Nashville. Headquarters will be at the Hotel Duncan, and here a banquet will be given on Wednesday evening in honor of the Supreme officers, delegates and visitors. The Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Knights of Columbus, the Elks and other societies have united with the Catholic Knights to make the convention a great success.

The Catholic Knights of America were founded in the city of Nashville, Tenn., thirty-three years ago, and received their name from the first Spiritual Director, the late Archbishop Fechan, of Chicago, who was at that time the Bishop of Nashville. Since its inception this organization has distributed over \$16,000,000 among the widows and orphans of deceased members. The Knights now have branches in nearly every State in the Union, and for a number of years the permanent headquarters have been located in the city of St. Louis. No Catholic fraternal insurance society in the United States has as many Archbishops and Bishops among its active members as the Catholic Knights of America. Foremost among these prelates are Archbishops Farley of New York, Blenk of New Orleans, and O'Donoghue of Louisville. Alderling of Fort Wayne, Chastard of Indianapolis, Forest of San Antonio, Gallagher of Galveston, Glorieux of Boise, Lillis of Kansas City, Matz of Denver, Meerschardt of Oklahoma, Monaghan of Wilmington, Shanahan of Harrisburg, and Van de Ven of Natick. The present Supreme officers of the Catholic Knights of America are:

Spiritual Director—Most Rev. John J. Glennon, St. Louis.
President—Dr. Felix Gaudin, New Orleans.
Vice President—Henry F. Croghan, Providence.
Secretary—Anthony Matre, St. Louis.
Treasurer—Charles Hannauer, St. Louis.

Trustees—Michael Quinn, Brooklyn; Peter Wallrath, Evansville; Adam W. Jaeger, Chicago.
Medical Examiner—Dr. E. J. Brennan, Indianapolis.
Major General Uniform Rank—Michael Reichert, Louisville.

Kentucky will be ably represented by Thomas Gleason, of Covington, and H. A. Veeneman, of this city, who has been placed on the Law Committee and will leave next week for Nashville. Major Gen. Michael Reichert and staff will be escorted by the Uniform Rank of Louisville, who will be given a great reception on their arrival at the Tennessee capital. For several months past the Louisville Knights have been preparing for this trip, and it is safe to say that they will make a showing that will surpass that of any former gathering of the Catholic Knights of America.

REMEMBERED ON BIRTHDAY.

John Lepping, the veteran grocer at Eighth and Grayson streets, celebrated his fifty-sixth birthday on Wednesday. On Sunday there was a family reunion at the Lepping home, children, grandchildren and other relatives calling to wish their host many happy returns of the day. On Wednesday evening fifty-six of his German and Irish friends from all over the city called with a band, offered congratulations and made merry for an hour or more. Mr. Lepping says the good wishes of his friends have made him feel good for fifty-six years more.

POPE RECEIVES AMERICANS.

Two American Bishops and pilgrims from their respective flocks were received in audience by Pope Pius X. this week. Bishop Lenihan, of Great Falls, was accompanied by seventy-five persons from his diocese.

The Pope received him in private audience. Later Bishop Lenihan presented his flock. Pope Pius spoke to each one and gave them his blessing. Bishop Guertin, of Manchester, N. H., and fifty of his flock were received later in the week. His Holiness manifested great interest in the growth of Catholicity in the two dioceses.

BIG DAY

For Knights of Columbus and Catholics at Frankfort.

Catholics of Frankfort and Knights of Columbus of the entire State are looking forward with the greatest interest to Sunday, May 8, when a council of the Knights of Columbus will be organized in the Capital City. Frankfort Knights promise a hearty welcome to all who visit the city on this occasion, which it is hoped to make the most notable in its history. Messrs. John R. Sower, Paul B. Weitzel and John Dolan compose the organization committee and have charge of the arrangements. Besides the initiatory ceremonies there are other things which they offer that will be of interest, especially to those who have not visited the Capital City in recent years. Chief among these will be the new State House, which will be kept open during the afternoon, with guides to show visitors through the entire building.

The Church of the Good Shepherd, of which the Rev. Father Thomas Major is pastor, is noted as having one of the finest choirs in the Covington diocese, and while attending mass with the local Knights on that date visitors and their friends will be benefitted by the excellent music as well as in a spiritual manner. The programme for the day will be high mass at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, initiation beginning at 2 in the afternoon, and a banquet at the Hotel at 8:30. The mass had been arranged especially for the Knights of Columbus, and the committee would like to hear at once from those who expect to be with them on that date.

MARY'S MONTH.

Mother of God Honored By All Faithful Catholics.

Tomorrow is the opening day of May, "the gladdest month of all the year," as the poet sings. To Catholics it is more than that—it is the month of Mary, the Mother of God. Everywhere that the Catholic church has established a chapel or shrine the statues of Mary are crowned with flowers during the month that begins tomorrow.

During the entire month there are special devotions in every Catholic church. In some cases the exercises are held in the morning; in other cases in the evening, and often during both morning and evening. As a rule there is a procession at the opening and closing of the month of May in each parish.

Next Thursday will be Ascension day, and is celebrated to commemorate the ascension of Our Saviour forty days after his glorious resurrection. Our Saviour with his Apostles and Disciples assembled on Mount Olivet, and from there by his own power ascended into heaven. He leaving them He told his followers that the Paraclete, the Holy Ghost, would come to them, teaching them all things that they were to believe. Thursday will be a holy day of obligation and all Catholics must hear mass under pain of mortal sin.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Ellen McWilliams, a well and favorably known lady of the East End, died at the home of her son, Joseph McWilliams, 326 Laurel street, on Tuesday afternoon. The funeral took place from St. Boniface church on Thursday morning and was attended by many old friends and acquaintances.

John Lammers, a well known resident of the East End, died at his home, 284 Elm street, on Tuesday morning. The deceased was a native of Germany, but had lived in Louisville nearly all his life. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Lizzie Nuxol, Mrs. Josephine Harding, Miss Annie Lammers and John Lammers. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place from St. Martin's church on Thursday morning.

Mrs. Rose Gambrell, fifty years old, and the wife of George Gambrell, a popular conductor on the Southern railway, died at the family residence, 2631 Parker street, on Wednesday. Death resulted from a complication of diseases. Besides her husband four children survive. The funeral took place from St. Cecilia's church yesterday morning. The esteem in which she was held was attested by the large attendance at her funeral.

Mrs. Catherine Koch, one of the oldest and best known residents of this city, passed to her eternal rest Monday evening, following an operation for abdominal trouble. Mrs. Koch was born in Dublin, Ireland, seventy years ago, but came to this country while still young and had resided in this city for more than half a century. Her husband, John Koch, died many years ago, and she is survived by five children—one son, Joseph Koch, and four daughters. The funeral took place Wednesday morning from St. George's church. Rev. Father Weiss led the celebration of the solemn mass of requiem.

ISLE OF SAINTS

English Catholics Would Rob Ireland of Her Last Heritage.

Rev. Father Lambert on the History of a Usurped Title.

Work of Rev. Dr. Hagan, Vice Rector of Irish College in Rome.

BELONGS TO IRELAND ALONE

The following, from the pen of Rev. L. A. Lambert, LL. D., the able and brilliant editor of the New York Freeman's Journal, has been furnished the Catholic press of this country, and will be read with interest by all Catholics. It refers to a book by the Rev. Dr. Hagan, Vice Rector of the Irish College in Rome, to be soon published in English:

Last fall the Archbishop of Montreal in Canada, a beautiful and appropriate memorial, incidentally refers to one little item which His Grace seemed to take as a matter of course. Alluding to the Eucharistic Congress of London he said that when Cardinal Vanutelli raised the Sacred Host to bless the multitude, "there upon the ancient Isle of Saints, from the opened heavens, we seemed to hear re-echoed the dictum omne promissum Thabor." The plain inference here is that England has been known and called the "Isle of Saints." We were surprised, for we had never heard it before. We always thought Ireland was called the "Isle of Saints," and we thought that everybody else thought so. We are not deeply read in hagiography, and we could not go back on the history of the title as peculiar to Ireland. But we took it for granted, as historians took it for granted; and we took for granted also that Archbishop Bruchesi, not being Irish or English, had made a passing slip, having been somehow misled. Hence we thought no more about the matter.

But what is our surprise to find that a quiet, slow but sure, influence has been apparently set in motion by English Catholics to rob her whom they call "the Sister Isle" even of that remaining heritage. One would think that England had already plundered and appropriated quite enough of the belongings of Ireland to satisfy the most insatiable national greed.

It appears that the English Catholics read an address to Cardinal Andrieu in Rome last October twelve-month. In his reply His Eminence also referred to England as if it had been known once as "the Isle of Saints." Whether His Eminence had been inspired for the occasion, or whether he had seen the title appropriated by some English writer or speaker, we can not say. But thus, at any rate, was the title taken to Rome, probably to be proclaimed till the time was ripe for proclaiming that it had Rome's sanction.

Well this little book of sixty-two pages has nipped it in the bud; and unless English impudence is more brazen than even we know it to be, unless ecclesiastical dignitaries are more pliant than we think them to be, and unless the Catholics of the world are more ungrateful than we believe them to be, this little book leaves the incipient usurpation dead and buried for evermore. A controversy seems to have arisen from the occasion to which we have just referred, the history of which is given in the book. The Vice Rector of the Irish College in Rome wrote a letter to the Tablet of London, in which he asked when Ireland ceased to be the "Isle of Saints." He seems to have thought that Cardinal Andrieu had referred to Ireland. He was in the same state of mind as we have been; he did not suspect that the "Isle of Saints" could be referred to other than Ireland. At once Mgr. John Vaughan replied, and quoted Lingard and Newman as calling England "the Isle of Saints." He thought that should clinch the question. Why Newman said it and who dare doubt the oracle, to whom Englishmen are sometimes more ready to listen than to a Pope speaking ex-cathedra? There was a time when it was so indeed. But the good prelate was more English than wise. The reply came quick and categorical—namely Lingard and Newman lived in the nineteenth century, and their words are of historical value for their times only, and for their own question. Then arose a controversy on the whole subject. Somebody wiser than the rest suggested that either Mgr. Vaughan or Dr. Hagan would supply the only means of arriving at a satisfactory conclusion; that is, to show by historical references to which nation the title had been applied in the far back centuries and down along to our time. Mgr. Vaughan stopped short here, and thus showed himself more wise than English.

Thus was the author provoked apparently to go fully into the matter; and we have the benefit of his painstaking researches in the valuable work which we notice. He traces the title as applied to Ireland, and to Ireland exclusively, back far into the Middle Ages; and in great measure he calls up Englishmen as witnesses. He also points out that

Lingard does not explicitly say that England was called "the Isle of Saints," but rather insinuates it; which is not worthy of Lingard, we must say. We should expect better from him. Cardinal Newman applies the title to England and Ireland, which looks like generosity, but is not historical justice. But he seems to quote no authority; and however we respect his name, we can not take him as an authority in this matter—not that we love Newman less, but that we love truth more.

OPEN MEETING

And Reception For Ladies' Auxiliary Tuesday Night.

Division 1, A. O. H., has made great preparations for its open meeting and reception in honor of the Ladies' Auxiliary at Falls' City Hall next Tuesday night. All other divisions and friends of the order have been invited to attend. President Thomas Walsh will preside until the necessary routine is disposed of, after which the Entertainment Committee will take charge.

Addresses on topics dear to Hibernian hearts will be delivered by the Very Rev. Father James P. Cronin, Rev. Father Patrick Walsh and Attorney J. J. Kavanagh. In addition there will be vocal and instrumental musical numbers.

Division 1 expects to have a number of these open meetings during the spring, summer and fall. Gatherings of this kind promote good fellowship and help to build up the membership of the order. Light refreshments will be served after the literary and musical programme.

WELL CHOSEN

Edward D. O'Connor Has Been Made Road Supervisor.

Edward D. O'Connor has been appointed County Road Supervisor by County Judge Muir Weissinger. The



appointment was made on Wednesday and gives general satisfaction. The salary is fixed by the Fiscal Court, and since the office was established in 1906 the stipend has been \$2,000 per annum.

Mr. O'Connor is eminently qualified to fill the office. For four years he served as Magistrate from the Eighth and Ninth wards, and as a member of the Fiscal Court gave much time and attention to the study of county roads. In making the appointment Judge Weissinger said: "Mr. O'Connor is the character of man that is necessary to fill the position of Road Supervisor."

SIX BISHOPS

To Be Consecrated by Archbishop Ireland at St. Paul.

One of the most impressive as well as unique ceremonies in the history of the Catholic church in America will take place in the sanctuary at St. Paul, Minn., on Thursday, May 19, when six recently appointed Bishops of that archdiocese will be consecrated. The newly appointed prelates are Rev. P. R. Heffron, formerly Rector of the St. Paul Seminary, who will assume charge of the bishopric of Winona; Rev. J. J. Lawler, pastor of the Cathedral parish, St. Paul, who is elevated to the auxiliary bishopric of St. Paul; Rev. Timothy Corbett, of the Duluth Cathedral, appointed to Crookston; Rev. Vincent Wehrle, Benedictine Abbot at Richardson, N. D., who will take charge of the bishopric at Bismarck; in the same State, Rev. James O'Reilly, of St. Anthony's church, Minneapolis, appointed to Fargo; and Rev. Joseph F. Busch, director of Catholic missions in St. Paul, who will take charge of the bishopric of Lead, S. D.

The Most Rev. Archbishop Ireland will officiate at the sextuple consecration, and several hundred priests from various parts of the archdiocese will be present to assist at the solemn ceremonies. The ceremonies will be quite lengthy, for the full honors of the episcopacy will be accorded each of the new prelates. It is probable that both Cardinal Gibbons and Monsignor Falconio will attend the impressive rites.

This is the first time in the history of the United States that six Bishops have been consecrated on the same day, in the same church and for the same archdiocese. Bishop O'Gorman, of Sioux Falls, will preach the sermon.

O'BRIEN

Made Sorry Spectacle in Attack On the British Chancellor.

Even Tory Leader Dropped Him When Abuse Fell Flat.

Irish Electors Anxious For Next General Election to Be Held.

UP TO PREMIER AND THE KING

The complete unity of the Irish and Liberal parties on the veto power of the Lords has plunged the Tories in despair. The minority Irish forces led by William O'Brien went to pieces when their leader made an attack on the veracity of Lloyd-George, the author of the budget. According to Hon. T. P. O'Connor, O'Brien's charges were so completely disproven that even Mr. Balfour, the Tory leader, accepted Lloyd-George's good faith.

Timothy Healy, who has joined issues with O'Brien, has been heaping abuse on Hon. John E. Redmond and the Irish party. This alone has caused a revulsion of feeling against him, and those in a position to know declare it will seal his doom in the South of Ireland should he stand for Parliament at the approaching general election. Every Liberal is looking to the next general election and a straight fight over the veto of the Lords with perfect confidence, while the Tories are in despair.

All Ireland stands enthusiastically behind the action of Redmond, with which the Irish in England, who always have favored the budget, especially the land taxes, are generally sympathetic. The Liberal and Labor parties are inexpressibly relieved at the avoidance of a rupture between the English and Irish democracy. The Democrats are closer knit in this fight than in any previous epoch of the history of the two nations. The Irishmen in England will swell the gigantic popular demonstrations now preparing to demand the abolition of the Lords' veto. All the British democracy also is immensely grateful to Redmond for that firmness of attitude which induced the Liberal Cabinet finally to adopt stern, uncompromising and prompt action in the campaign against the Lords.

All parties are now awaiting the beginning of the end. The calm has come before the storm. The House of Commons on Monday night passed the second reading of the budget by a vote of 328 to 242, but this does not mean that the veto power of the Lords is being lost sight of. The question is now up to Asquith and King Edward. Will the Premier maintain nerve enough to ask guarantees from the King to put over the measure against the Lords? What will King Edward do if the question of a guaranty is put up to him?

Ireland as well as England, Scotland and Wales, is ready and anxious for the next general election, particularly as the vote will show whether the people are for or against curtailing the veto power of the Peers. Mr. Redmond and his party have made this the paramount issue. Every Archbishop in Ireland has given his unqualified endorsement to Redmond and his plan of campaign. These eminent clergymen see that Ireland must have home rule if the people are to be kept at home. The budget, it is true, is a heavy and an unjust tax, but the Irish people are willing to put up with it for awhile in order to gain home rule in the end.

Irishmen want the same rights as have been given to Canada, Australia and British South Africa. The Redmond plan of campaign may seem a little slow, but it has accomplished much in the past. Thinking Irishmen at home and abroad will support Mr. Redmond and his party until he achieves success or proves a complete failure.

REVEREND VISITORS.

The Rev. Brother Chrysostom, Superior General of the Xaverian Brothers, landed in New York last week to make his annual visitation to all the houses of the order in the United States. From New York he went direct to the mother house of the Xaverians at Baltimore. From there he will proceed to all the colleges of the order in the East and South and is expected to reach here late in May. He will spend a day or two at St. Xavier's College and St. Lawrence Institute. He will be accompanied to Louisville by the Rev. Brother Isidore, head of the Xaverians in the United States.

BISHOP WILL ATTEND.

Messrs. Patrick T. Sullivan, William Callaghan, Eugene Conney and Miss Rena Weisenberg, representing the Louisville Federation of Catholic Societies, called upon the Right Rev. Dennis O'Donoghue on Friday of last week and extended him a formal invitation to be present at the next meeting of the Federation. They were pleased with their reception and report that Bishop O'Donoghue signified his willingness to visit the body if unforeseen or more important duties did not intervene. Arrangements will be made for the largest ever held since the Federation was organized.

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MERGER A MENACE.

Well authenticated rumors in commercial circles have it that plans are afoot for a merger of the heating and lighting corporations of Louisville. The news comes just as if the men behind the movement had no regard for public sentiment in the matter. Perhaps they have not. They see an opportunity for graft and take advantage of it without as much as saying to the people "By your leave."

The men behind this proposed merger are not public spirited citizens. They are vampires, ghouls and grafters.

The heating and lighting companies operating in Louisville obtained their respective franchises under the pretext of healthy competition. They were glad to get the franchises and made money at the rates they charged. The Louisville Lighting Company is one of the parties to the proposed merger. The city of Louisville is the largest stockholder in that company, and now it is made to appear that Louisville will have no voice in the matter.

Some way ought to be found to make the holders of franchises stick to their original bargains. Probably a way will be found. It is hardly possible that the taxpayers of Louisville, the consumers of light and gas, will sit idly by and allow a monster monopoly to obtain control of public utilities.

POISONING JUSTICE.

Is Kentucky always to remain the dark and bloody ground? How long will Louisville help the State to maintain its reputation as a paradise for murderers? Within two months two cold-blooded murderers have been tried and each has gone free. In neither case was self-defense proven as a motive for the crime. In both cases a power—the power of money—was behind the murderer. Verily there must be a screw loose somewhere, and there are those that tamper with justice, now sowing the wind that will eventually reap the whirlwind.

In both murder trials referred to Judge Gregory and Commonwealth's Attorney Huffaker have done their duty, but there is a suspicion that there is a coterie, a clique of jury fixers, hovering like harpies over the Jefferson county Court House and poisoning justice. The man who connives at securing the immunity of a cold-blooded murderer, whether he fixes the jury or furnishes the money for it, is more cowardly than the murderer.

None can tell the vagaries of a jury. As a rule intelligent men are not wanted on juries. The man who reads, or who expresses an opinion, can find no place on the jury. But the intelligent, thinking men of the community wonder after trials are over how the jurors ever arrived at their conclusion. Certainly these jurors have a right to their own opinion, but it seems a very poor opinion that will permit a cold-blooded murderer go whipt of justice when the evidence is contrary to the jury's finding.

THE JUST MAN.

Writing for the New York Herald, Rev. Patrick A. Halpin, of New Rochelle College, declares the just man a tower four square and impregnable. Very little more than an ideal in the pagan world, he is an achievement and a masterpiece in Christianity. Presenting a fearless front to all assaults from within or without, he is the embodiment of perfection in every center—individual, domestic or social. He is a beacon and sanctuary for his fellows. He is panoplied in justice—that virtue which maketh for sterling character and which is one of the four strong hinges upon which the whole moral order turns. It is more than honesty, which is one of its features only, and it vitalizes honor, which is its bloom and fragrance.

It gives to every one—to God, to home, to country, to Caesar, to the man it sways—all that belongs to each. It respects every obligation and every right. Without it there are only anarchy and its resultant chaos. Who gives not to God what is God's will not give to Caesar what is Caesar's. Caesar himself refusing to God what is his will render only despoilment to the people. The man who withholds his talents from his fellows is recreant to his duty. To Caesar and tears in his eyes.

respect, without which there is naught left but degeneracy.

Hence among the shining beatitudes beams with a brightness all its own that one which the Master commands us to hunger after and thirst for, so paramount is its importance for the here and the hereafter. Morn, noon and night must it be radiantly active, never blinking for an instant, throbbing with every heart beat and exhaled with every breath. The beatitudes are creative of happiness not only now but ever. Fancy this globe of ours spinning on its axis to the music of justice! What a fair world it would be! It would be the world God made in the beginning, and which injustice unmade and is still unmaking.

What a benefactor of his race is the just man! His thoughts are of the loftiest and the gentlest, his word is his bond and baffles bankruptcy; his deeds shine like stars in the blackness of life's wretchedness. His is a height to which each man is beckoned, and to reach which he has wings, were he only to try them. Beloved by men, how dear the just man must be to his Maker! Ten just men would have saved the wicked cities of the plain in Abraham's day, but they could not be found. If no one sees "ashes rise up as the smoke from a furnace" out of the Sodoma and Gomorrah of our civilization, one reason is that the appealing beauty of the righteousness of the just on earth averts the glance of an angered God from the multitudes who forget and insult Him.

The Louisville Employers' Association displayed itself in an unenviable light this week by taking a stand in defense of a murderer tried in the Jefferson Circuit Court. The man killed was a union man; the slayer was a scab. Oppression of the poor, defrauding laborers of their wages and willful murder are crimes crying to heaven for vengeance. Persons who aid or abet all three crimes will have lots to answer for in this world and in the next.

New York clergymen of widely divergent creeds undertook a month ago to organize a Clerical Conference, and its watchword was "Unity." Of the 1,000 ministers that started out with the movement 200 are fighting each other already. The Episcopals wanted unity with their creed as the unit. Baptists refused to conform and others followed suit. Eventually they will find no unity apart from the Catholic church.

Any person guilty of white slavery in Louisville should be made to serve a long term in the State penitentiary. The white slave traffic is one of the worst evils of the present age, and it is to be sincerely hoped that its stigma and awful consequences will not rest on Louisville or Kentucky.

President Taft could not have done better than appoint Gov. Hughes to the vacancy in the United States Supreme Court. Democrats as well as Republicans acknowledge the ability and fitness of the great New Yorker for this most important position.

Iowa Prohibitionists are debating about indorsing William Jennings Bryan as their candidate for the Presidential nomination. The debate is not worth while. Politically Bryan is as dead as is the Prohibition movement.

UNIFORM RANK BENEFIT.

Next Monday and Tuesday evenings a high class motion picture entertainment will be given at the Broadway Theater on Broadway, near Shelby street, under the auspices of the Uniform Rank, C. K. of A. There will be an entire change of programme each night, and in addition there will be a number of special attractions, which will make the show the best ever seen at this house. The proceeds will go to defray a part of the expenses of trip of the uniformed companies to the Nashville convention, and it is hoped the Catholic Knights of this city and their friends will give the military boys a rousing benefit. The admission will be only ten cents.

GUEST OF WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue was the guest of honor at a reception given by the Catholic Woman's Club on Tuesday afternoon. More than 600 ladies were presented to His Lordship. After the reception Bishop O'Donoghue made a brief talk commending the aims and purposes of the organization. Following the talk the Bishop, Very Rev. Father James P. Cronin and Very Rev. Dr. George W. Schumann and the advisory board of the club enjoyed a luncheon.

SOCIETY.

Will McKenna arrived Saturday evening from Indianapolis for a visit with his parents in Portland.

Miss Margaret O'Malley has been visiting in Lexington, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Huntington.

Mrs. Carl Tafel has returned from Newport, where she was the guest of Mrs. Robinson, East Fourth street.

Miss Mary Campbell, of Pleasure Ridge, has gone to Richmond for a visit of several weeks with relatives.

Among the visitors from Louisville registered in New York last week were John W. Flood and B. P. Mulloy.

Mrs. P. F. Sweeney, of Third and M streets, had as her guest this week her sister, Mrs. George Duttlinger, of Nashville.

Miss Helen O'Rourke, of Parkview, has returned from a pleasant visit with Mrs. Lawrence Wood at Charlestown, Ind.

Misses Marion Gleason and Elizabeth Bender, of Portland, left Sunday for a visit with friends in Jeffersonville.

Miss George Dooley, of Meade county, who has been visiting Miss Carolyn Sullivan in Parkland, left Monday to visit relatives in Findlay, Ohio.

Mrs. James Monahan and daughter, Miss Mary, of Lyndon, have gone to Montgomery, Ala., where they will visit Mrs. Monahan's mother.

Mrs. M. Carney and daughter, Mrs. J. L. Keegan, of Paducah, are visiting Mrs. Carney's daughter, Mrs. S. J. Gardner, 602 East Market street, New Albany.

Misses Margaret and Bettie McKenna, who are the guests of Mrs. Joe Lehman in Chicago, are expected to visit friends in this city before returning to their home in Fairfield.

Mrs. Mary Weisen and daughter Mary, who spent some time at Tampa, Fla., returned last week, and have since been visiting Mrs. Weisen's sister, Mrs. Walter Leachman, at Springfield.

Mrs. Mary Maley, of 108 East Market street, New Albany, who was last week taken to St. Edward's Hospital for treatment, is reported much improved and her friends are hopeful for her speedy recovery.

Miss Katie Glasgow and George McCasland, well known young people of Jeffersonville, were united in marriage at St. Augustine's church on Tuesday evening. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father John O'Connell.

Cupid kept the County Clerk's office busy this week. Among those who received licenses to wed were William H. Whelan and Josie Hardesty; P. D. Ridge and Bina Burke; John J. Treanor and Mary C. O'Brien.

Miss Arline Coleman, of Syracuse, has been spending the week here as the guest of Mrs. J. Sheridan at her bungalow on Kenwood way. The fair visitor has been the guest of honor at a number of social functions and has many friends here.

Joseph T. Hanrahan and bride, nee Miss Mae Fitzgerald, who were quietly married last week at St. Louis Bertrand church by the Rev. Father Clark, have returned from their honeymoon trip, and are receiving the hearty congratulations of their wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

Miss Tillie Nugent, daughter of Edward Nugent, and William Melville, of St. Louis, were quietly married at St. Cecilia's on Thursday evening of last week. Rev. Father Brady performing the ceremony. They left immediately for the South, and after the bridal trip will make their home in St. Louis.

His many friends in the three Falls' Cities will be grieved to learn that John Kenney has been ill of pleurisy for the past week at his home in Jeffersonville. For years Mr. Kenney has been a prominent figure in Catholic fraternal society circles, and holds a responsible position at the Jeffersonville Reformatory.

Lee Hoerter and Miss Emma Caulfield were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Thursday evening at St. Patrick's church, and the ceremony was witnessed by a large gathering of friends and well wishers. The bride is the charming daughter of Mrs. Martin Caulfield, of Portland, and the groom is well known and popular in both social and business circles.

Miss Rosella Dolan and Alexander Johnson, well known young people of the East End, were united in matrimony at St. Michael's church on Wednesday evening. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Martin O'Connor. The bride is the charming daughter of Mrs. Ellen Dolan and a sister of Officer John Dolan. Mr. Johnson is prominent in Democratic political circles, and is at present a deputy in the County Assessor's office. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have received many congratulations on their matrimonial venture.

PLEASANTLY SURPRISED.

Miss Catherine Burke was tendered a surprise party at her home, 1013 South Second street, on Wednesday evening. Miss Irene Burke promoted the surprise for her sister, and certainly did her work well. The evening was spent with vocal and instrumental selections and social games. Refreshments were served several times during the evening. Among those present were Misses Julia Hession, Frances Shiffar, Anna

Haley, Pattie Lynch, Beula Yarbrough, Agnes Frances, Geneva Klein, Mary Piper, Margaret McCormick, Dolores Cottrell, Nellie McCormick, Jewel Kelly, Pauline Miller and Margaret Quigley, and Messrs. Elmer Carrio, Bernard O'Connor, Ralph Owen, James Peyton, John Envy, Oswald Georges, E. J. Coll, M. P. Faith, Chester Cook, Edward Freiberger, William Jones, William Kierce and William Smith.

SOUVENIRS

For Ladies on First Night of "Among the Stars."

The Mackin Choral Club has arranged for a special feature in the way of beautiful souvenir photographs to be presented free to the ladies present at the opening performance of "Among the Stars" at Macaulay's Theater on Wednesday night, May 18. "Among the Stars" is the most pretentious show the Choral Club has ever attempted, and will be noted for its many novel and original features. It is brimful of clever songs, catchy music and pretty pictures.

Aulyn Kanston, the author, is well pleased with the progress being made and the management and Mackin Council expect the "Among the Stars" chorus to be the prettiest and best drilled that ever graced a Louisville stage in amateur theatricals. The principals have their parts letter perfect and in the company will be nearly a hundred young men and women. Tickets are now on sale and are going rapidly, as in all parts of the city Mackin Council has large following. Quite a number of box parties have already been formed and the club feels that there will be a large and brilliant attendance at each performance.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS

Will Approach Communion at Bishop O'Donoghue's Mass.

All members of the Catholic Knights of America affiliating with Louisville's Central Committee will approach holy communion at the 7 o'clock mass at the Cathedral tomorrow morning. President Eugene McCarthy, of Central Committee, expects to see every member of the seven affiliated branches approach the holy sacrament. He will head the Central Committee, while Major Gen. Michael Reichert will lead the Uniform Rank.

Pontifical mass will be celebrated by Bishop O'Donoghue, who will also make a brief address to the Knights. The Bishop is heartily in accord with the purposes of the order, and his words of encouragement tomorrow will give a fresh impetus to increasing the membership.

The committee that met Bishop O'Donoghue to arrange for tomorrow's exercises was composed of William T. Meehan and Henry Bosquet. The general attendance at communion will take the place of a reception and banquet.

TO CHOOSE PASTOR.

The Very Rev. Joseph Chartrand, Vicar General of the diocese of Indianapolis, has announced that an examination will be held in the Hoosier Capital on May 24 to select a successor to the late Rev. Edward Bonnet, at a number of social functions and has many friends here. The Catholics of New Albany would like to see the appointment go to the Rev. Father G. G. Borries, who for seven years has been the assistant of the late Father Faller, but the fact that he has not been ordained ten years precludes his becoming an irremovable pastor. Many changes in the diocese will follow in all probability as the result of the appointment. No doubt Father Borries will receive a good appointment, but his old friends have to see him leave New Albany.

MACKIN'S MEETING.

There was a nice gathering of members of Mackin Council last Monday night, when President Kenney received three more new members. The council went on record as favoring Twenty-sixth street for the new library, and also for further improvement in the street railway service in the Portland section of the city. James Schrems, Charles Smith and Frank Kistler, who are ill, were reported improving, while Dan Cuniff and Carl Pfeiffer are entirely recovered. Louis Kieffer reported that the Choral Club was doing excellent work and promised that "Among the Stars" would outshine anything ever seen in Louisville.

NATHAN ROGERS WON.

Nathan L. Rogers, the only boy in the contest that wore knickerbockers, won the gold medal in the twelfth annual oratorical contest of the junior class of the Boys' High School, which was held on Friday night of last week. Young Rogers had for his subject "The Sleeping Beauty of the North," and painted a word picture of Alaska. The gold medal was presented by Dr. Henry E. Tuley. There were nine youths in the contest, and the fact that Nathan Rogers was awarded the victory is quite a compliment. The young orator is a son of Attorney Newton G. Rogers.

MIDSUMMER OUTING.

The County Board, A. O. H., met at Bertrand Hall on Tuesday night, and the principal matter discussed was the annual midsummer outing. County President Patrick J. Welsh presided. It was decided to hold the outing at Phoenix Hill Park on July 25, and the Ladies' Auxiliary will share in the profits. The following committee was chosen to arrange the necessary details: County President P. J. Welsh, State President George J. Butler, Thomas Walsh, President Division 1: Con J. Ford, President Division 2: Joseph Lynch, Patrick T. Sullivan, President Division 3: D. J. Coleman and John H. Hennessy, President of Division 4.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Buffalo Council has nearly 1,000 members.

May will be a busy month, as everywhere State conventions will be held.

Vincennes Knights would like to entertain the Indiana State Council in 1911.

Rochester Council has one of the strongest dramatic clubs in New York State.

A class of eighty-five was initiated at Monroe, Mich., last week, the ceremonies being attended by 500.

Minneapolis Council threw open its beautiful new quarters last week with a formal reception, at which Archbishop Ireland was the principal speaker.

San Francisco Council has presented Archbishop Riordan with \$5,000 to endow a scholarship at St. Patrick's College, Mento Park, for the education of young men for the priesthood.

The Knights of Minneapolis attended special services at St. Thomas' church last Sunday morning and received holy communion in a body. The pastor, Rev. Father O'Brien, is their Chaplain.

Massachusetts will be the next State to make Columbus day, October 12, a legal holiday. The bill has passed the State Senate. There is every reason to believe it will pass the House and receive the signature of the Governor.

Those who keep in touch with the trend of things in the East, noting the Long Island jurisdiction with its sixty councils, feel that the order is menaced with the multiplicity of councils, and deem consolidation advisable and necessary to preserve the dignity of the order and its traditions.

GONE TO ROME.

Mrs. Lucy O'Connor and her daughter, Miss Stella O'Connor, left Sunday for New York, and on Tuesday sailed for Europe. They will go direct to Rome and there witness on May 21 the ordination to the priesthood of their son and brother, Frank O'Connor, who has completed his studies and won high honors in the American College. They will spend three months in Europe, visiting Father Bax in Holland and friends in Ireland before returning. Their many friends wish them a pleasant journey and safe return home.

HEARD BISHOP PREACH.

The announcement that Bishop O'Donoghue was to preach at the Cathedral last Sunday attracted an unusually large attendance at the late mass. None who attended were disappointed. Bishop O'Donoghue is an earnest and forceful speaker. Those who hear him once are anxious to hear him again. The Right Rev. Bishop will soon begin administering confirmation in the various churches, and before six weeks are ended will have visited nearly every parish in the city.

Y. M. I. ORGANIZER.

Grand President Robert T. Burke, Y. M. I. Kentucky jurisdiction, has appointed Louis F. Budenz as official organizer for this jurisdiction. Mr. Budenz left for Covington on Wednesday. He expects to organize a council there. Great success has attended the efforts of Mr. Budenz in Indianapolis and vicinity, and Grand President Burke expects similar results from his work in Kentucky.

"PIRATES OF PENZANCE."

Great interest is being manifested in the coming production of the "Pirates of Penzance" by the Cecilian Choral Club, an organization of well known young Catholic ladies and gentlemen. Whatever funds accrue will be devoted to a very worthy cause. This tuneful opera will be produced at the Mary Anderson Theater on the evenings of May 23 and 24. Cast and chorus are holding rehearsals several times a week.

BOYS TO GREET BISHOP.

The Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue has signified his intention to visit St. Lawrence Institute, on East College street, on Monday evening, May 9. The Board of Directors of that institution, the working boys who make their home there, and friends of the home will be on hand to welcome the new prelate. Rev. Brother Pius, director of the Institute, promises His Lordship a royal welcome.

NEW ALBANY EUCHERE.

Branch 110, Catholic Knights and Ladies of America, will give a eucHERE in Holy Trinity Hall, New Albany, next Tuesday afternoon and night. The eucHERE was to have been held on April 19, but was postponed on account of the death of Father Faller. Quite a number of handsome prizes will be awarded the successful contestants. Members of the order in Louisville and Jeffersonville are invited to attend during the afternoon or evening.

NOTED MISSIONARY IN ROME.

The Very Rev. Dr. Kelley, President of the Catholic Church Extension Society, was received in audience by Pope Pius X. on Monday. His Holiness asked many questions about the extension movement and the chapel car. Dr. Kelley was accompanied to the Vatican by Father E. L. Roe, and Mr. Petrie, of Chicago.

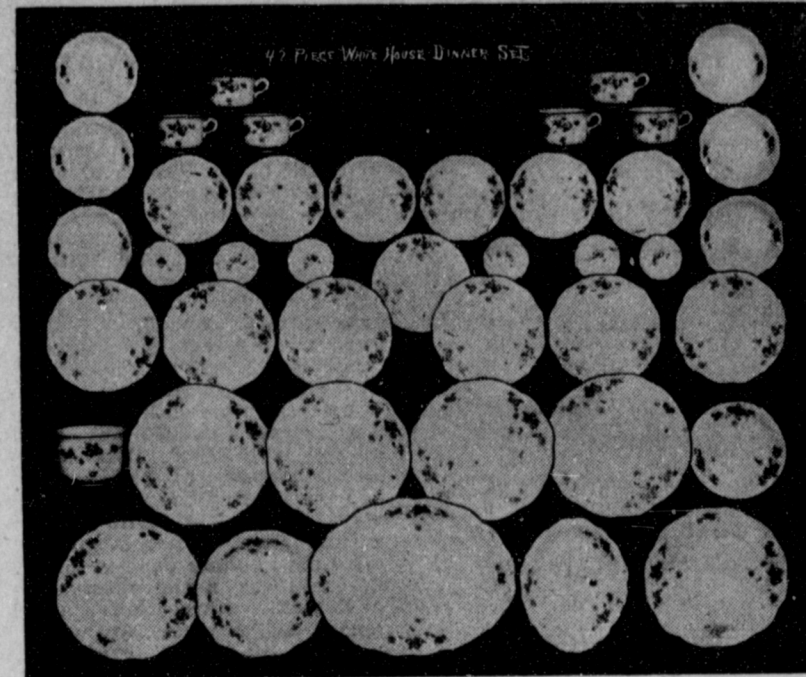
FIFTY YEARS YOUNG.

Attorney W. Allen Kinney celebrated his birthday on Wednesday. His friends and admirers sent him a handsome box of roses as a token of their esteem. Mr. Kinney seems to grow younger with each increasing year.

MISS BROWN HONORED.

Gov. Wilson has appointed Miss Nora Brown, his private stenographer, Secretary of the Kentucky

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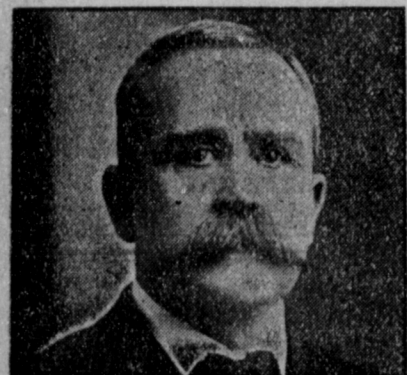
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OWENSBORO.

Sarto Council Will Soon
Occupy Its New
Home.

Fine spirit, good attendance and
lots of activity now mark the meet-
ings of Sarto Council, Y. M. L., of
Owensboro, which will soon move
into its elegant and larger new quar-
ters. Last week four new members
were admitted and three applications
received, making fifteen that have
been added to the roster since the
first of the month and more coming
every meeting. The annual com-
munion day was observed at St.
Joseph's church, and all were grati-
fied with the large increase over the
number who went last year. Sarto's
ball team has gotten together, a
programme is being arranged for the
meeting on May 4, and there is some-
thing doing all the time. Much to
the regret of the members Harry
Arnold has left Owensboro, and
Peter Roach succeeds him as
Marshal.

During the month of May there
will be a big initiation, which will
take place in the new club rooms, to
which the Grand officers will be
invited. Though not yet quite
ready, it is thought Sarto will take
the negative side in the joint debate
with Mackin Council of this city,
which will be the occasion of a great
gathering at Owensboro. The work
of getting the club rooms ready is
being pushed, but the formal opening
will not take place until everything
is completed.

LIFE CLOSED.

Venerable Catholic Lady
Sank Peacefully to
Rest.

Grief overspread the Catholic com-
munity of Louisville when it became
known that Mrs. Elizabeth Sheridan
had died at her home, 2022 Lytle
street, on Monday afternoon. Her
Christian life closed as calmly as a
child sinking to sleep. The deceased
was born at Manorhamilton, County
Leitrim, Ireland, seventy-one years
ago. She came to America at the
age of sixteen and for half a cen-
tury made her home in Louisville.

During her long life in Louisville
she was a devoted member of St. Pat-
rick's congregation, and was always
interested in church and charitable
works. Her husband, Patrick Sheri-
dan, died twenty-three years ago.
The following children survive her:
Deputy County Assessor Nicholas
Sheridan, Edward and Bernard Sheri-
dan, Miss Mary Sheridan, formerly
Supreme Treasurer of the Catholic
Knights and Ladies of America, and
Miss Susie Sheridan.

The funeral took place from St.
Patrick's church on Thursday morn-
ing, and the edifice was crowded by
sorrowing friends of the bereaved
family.

EASY PENNANT WINNERS.

The Falls City Bowling League
closed its season on Tuesday even-
ing, the Kentucky Irish Americans
defeating the Commonwealth Life
Insurance team club three straight
games, averaging 962 and rolling the
high score of 1022 in the first game,
this making them pennant winners
by a lead of seven games over their
nearest competitors, the O'Neal and
O'Neal club. In the past six years
the Kentucky Irish American team
has won the championship four
times, the Squire Adams team being
victors the other two, the first
named not being entered one year
and finishing one game behind the
Adams team the other year. The
team is composed of John Lubbers,
Newt Seibert, Albert D. Gregg, John
J. Boardman, Fred Stengel, Thomas
M. Barry and John Deiken. A sup-
per will be served the team this
evening at Bruen's Hotel in honor of
winning the pennant.

FONTAINE FERRY OPENING.

Fontaine Ferry will inaugurate its
1910 season on Sunday, May 1, and
if the weather is at all propitious an
auspicious reopening of this popular
resort is sure to be the result. "The
park beautiful" has been improved
throughout and looks more at-
tractive than ever. One of the new
things at the park is "The Racer
Dips," which promises to prove a
real amusement sensation. All of the
other favorite park devices will again
be operated. High-class vaudeville at
popular prices will again be the rule
at "The Ferry" and the daily free
concerts, given by Gregg's
Band, will again be enjoyed. Above
all, the "free gate" will again obtain
at Fontaine Ferry. This is a most
popular move on the part of Man-
ager Tony Landenwich and the other
park officials, especially in view of
the extensive improvements made at
the "Ferry" this season.

FUNERAL LARGELY ATTENDED.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Ellard at
the Cathedral on Monday morning
was largely attended, and evidenced
the high esteem in which she was
held. Though Mrs. Ellard had been
ill for some time at the home of
her daughter, Mrs. John McClair, 628
South Preston street, the news of
her death came as a shock to her
numerous friends.

MOVING PICTURES.

The Casino, Princess and Columbia
still hold their popularity with the
motion picture public, and their
programmes for next week will be
well worth seeing. Their comedy
views are genuinely amusing, while
the pretentious scenic films are said
to surpass any yet seen here. At
all there are popular new illustrated
songs. Cary Taylor has returned to
the Casino and has been received
with much enthusiasm.

VENERABLE MATRON BURNED.

Mrs. Mary E. Dillon, mother of the
late Fire Chief Ben Dillon, was seri-
ously burned by the ignition of gaso-
line at her home, 2115 Cherokee
Parkway, on Wednesday. The house
was damaged to the extent of \$200
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While Mrs. Dillon's burns are severe,
she is not likely to suffer any per-
manent ailment.

DEATH AT MIDWAY.

Daniel McGann, forty-six years old
and for twenty-two years agent for
the L. and N. railroad at Midway,
Ky., died Thursday. He was well
known in that section of the coun-
try, and was a general favorite
among railroad men. He is survived
by three sons. The deceased was a
brother of Dennis McGann, first
baseman of the Milwaukee club.
Other relatives include Joseph Mc-
Gann, a tailor, of Louisville; Mrs.
John M. Casey and Mrs. M. O'Sul-
livan, both of Shelbyville.

FORTY HOURS' PRAYER.

Forty Hours' prayer was held at
St. Leo's church, Highland Park, be-
ginning Sunday morning and closing
on Tuesday morning. On Sunday
evening at 7:30 o'clock the Rev.
Father Denis Murphy, pastor of St.
William's church, preached an elo-
quent and appropriate sermon. The
pastor, Rev. Father John J. Fitz-
gerald, was much pleased at the at-
tendance and devotion of his people.

BADGE FOR BAILEIFF.

Friends of Baileiff Bud Moran took
him by surprise Wednesday by pre-
sented him with a gold badge orna-
mented with a big diamond. The
presentation speech was made by At-
torney Clem Huggins, who stated
that the badge was a slight token of
the esteem in which the handsome
young Police Court Baileiff was held
by his friends. Mr. Moran expressed
his thanks in due form.

ELOQUENT LECTURE.

Hon. Boyd Winchester, statesman,
diplomat and scholar of many at-
tainments, delivered an instructive
and entertaining lecture before the
Louisville Council, Knights of Colum-
bus, on Wednesday evening. More
than 300 Knights heard and enjoyed
the scholarly effort. His subject was
"The Moral Teachings and Influence
of Lucretius."

SURPRISES PROMISED.

Division 3, A. O. H., will hold a
regular meeting in its hall at Nine-
teenth and Portland avenue on Mon-
day evening, and President Sullivan
desires a full attendance. He prom-
ises several pleasant surprises for all
who attend.

STAINS ON SILVER.

The water in which potatoes have
been boiled is excellent for removing
stains from silver articles. Wash the
silver well in the water, rinse, wipe
dry and polish with soft cloth.

ST. LEO'S PICNIC

Will Aid in Raising the
Funds For New
School.

St. Leo's congregation will hold
its grand annual picnic on the
church grounds, Highland Park, on
Thursday, June 23. Quite a number
of handsome prizes will be disposed
of at the picnic. These prizes are to
be awarded according to the com-
bination book method, and the books
will be circulated next week.

An addition to the rapidly growing
school is absolutely necessary, and
the picnic will be held to meet the
necessary outlay. The pastor of St.
Leo's, Rev. John J. Fitzgerald, ex-
pects his friends in all parts of the
city to help him by purchasing
tickets on the combination books
and talking up his picnic. Those who
purchase tickets on the combination
books will have an opportunity to
be awarded one of the many fol-
lowing useful prizes: Five dollars in
gold, kitchen cabinet, bench
wrenger, fine rocker, year's sub-
scription to the Kentucky Irish
American, barrel of flour, \$5 in gold,
lady's hat, Axminster rug, year's
subscription to the Glaubensbote,
case of assorted wine, load of coal,
piece of fancy needlework, center
table, barrel of potatoes, Quick
Meal gasoline stove, one dozen cab-
inet photographs, gold Rosary, ton
of coal and a \$5 gold piece.

The ladies of the congregation will
serve an excellent dinner and sup-
per on the grounds. The general
public is invited to attend this an-
nual fete and assist a worthy cause.

SOCIAL SESSION

Followed Business Meet-
ing of Division 4,
A. O. H.

Division 4, A. O. H., held a business
and social session Monday night, and
the attendance, while fair, was not
all it was expected to be. President
John H. Hennessy presided during
the social session. Lawrence Meaney
acted as Reading Secretary in the
absence of John J. Winn, who came
in later. John McHugh was obligated
and applications were received from
John Cummings and John Ansbro.
Charles Callahan, who had been ill,
was reported fully restored to
health, while Stephen J. Toomey and
Michael Doyle were reported on
the sick list.

Harry Brady, Chairman of the
Picnic Committee, reported that Di-
vision 4 and the Ladies' Auxiliary
would give a joint picnic at Phoenix
Hill Park on Monday, June 20.
Among the old members present
after long absence were James Cur-
ran, John Hennehan, John P. Helton,
Joseph McCarthy and M. J. Walsh.

At the conclusion of the business
session the meeting was turned over
to the Entertainment Committee.
Sandwiches and other refreshments
were supplied in abundance and all
enjoyed an hour or more of feasting
and merry-making.

CLASH OVER LIBRARY.

Portland residents are much
wrought up over the announcement
that a site at Twenty-seventh and
Bank streets has been selected for
the proposed branch library, when
the majority of the people want a
site at Twenty-sixth and Bank
streets. Those favoring the Twenty-
sixth street site contend that this
location is much more suitable; that
Twenty-sixth street is a practical
boulevard from the river south to
and beyond Broadway, while the
street in front of the proposed site
is nothing more than a dirt road. It
is also contended that the site at
Twenty-seventh and Bank streets
will entail an outlay of \$6,000, while
the other site can be had for \$2,700.
The adherents for the Twenty-sixth
street site do not expect to sur-
render without a struggle.

TRINITY COUNCIL.

Trinity Council held a well attend-
ed meeting last Monday night. The
applications of William Brauer and
John A. Osterholt were presented. It
was announced that an initiation
would be held Sunday afternoon, May
8, at which time a large class will
be received. The Dance Committee
report was received with great plea-
sure, as a nice sum was realized from
the series which just closed. The
Literary Committee announced that
John McNabb, who has traveled ex-
tensively, will give a lecture on his
experience in traveling the globe on
Monday, May 9, and as he has quite
a reputation as a lecturer, a large
assemblage is expected to greet him
on the occasion.

AWFUL DEATH.

The body of Patrick Sexton, a
highly respected citizen of Newport,
was found beside the stove in the
ruins of his home, 218 West Ninth
street, soon after midnight Sunday.
His house had caught fire, and it is
supposed that he had crawled that
far when death came. Mr. Sexton
was sixty-nine years of age and for
many years had been prominent in
the stone contracting business in
Newport.

ELEVEN FOR ACQUITTAL.

The foreign insurance companies
who are prosecuting Patrick Need-
ham, who was their local agent, upon
the charge of forgery, lost their case
last week, when eleven of the twelve
jurymen voted for his acquittal.
Many think the companies, who were
doing business here without license,
adopted this ruse to save themselves
from prosecution.

BOTH IMPROVING.

William J. Semonin, who has been
ill at Jeffersontown for some time
past, is showing many signs of im-
provement this week. He expects to
be out within a few days.
Robert E. Hughes, President of the
Kentucky Electric Company, fell in
alighting from a street car Tuesday
and sustained a severely strained
ankle. At last accounts he was on
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HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing
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News Notes.

Division 4 will meet a week from Monday night.
Division 72 of Boston now has its own drum corps.

Syracuse is organizing a company of Hibernian Rifles.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will meet in regular session on Wednesday evening.

Division 2 will meet Friday night and President Ford urges a large attendance.

The Ancient Order at Pueblo, Col., will receive holy communion in a body on May 8.

In many of the Eastern cities the Hibernians have been preparing for their annual field day.

St. Mark's church at St. Paul was thronged last Sunday when Division 3 approached the holy table.

The auditors of the Ladies' Auxiliary at Meriden, Conn., report a balance in the bank of \$3,000.

The Hibernian Rifles of Fort Wayne, Ind., will soon appear in new and handsome equipment.

Something novel is promised by Division 1 in its open meeting and reception to the Ladies' Auxiliary on Tuesday evening.

Several pleasant surprises are in store for the members of Division 3 and others who attend the meeting next Monday night.

The division of Elmira, N. Y., recently presented Rev. James F. Winters a handsome and suitably inscribed gold-headed cane.

Division 2 of Syracuse is increasing its membership in hopes of leading the Empire State. Fifteen members were added this month.

The Literary Society visits bring out a large attendance at the meetings of the St. Paul auxiliaries, which are always of an Irish nature.

Why not have a field day here in Louisville? Many are looking to Tom Dolan, who has had experience and knows how to conduct one.

Last week the Ladies' Auxiliary at Muncie, Ind., initiated a class of fifty members. There were present clergymen and visitors from Indianapolis, Anderson and Elwood.

St. Patrick's church at Covington will be thronged on Sunday morning, May 8, when the Ladies' Auxiliary of that city and Newport approach holy communion in a body.

With a charter list of 171 members, and another addition of sixty to its last meeting, the Ladies' Auxiliary recently instituted at Malden, Mass., promises soon to become the largest in the country.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Patrick's parish in Indianapolis held an open meeting Wednesday night in compliment to their new pastor, Rev. Victor Brucker, who succeeded the Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue.

Sunday was the greatest day in the history of Division 2 of Leroy, N. Y., when about ninety candidates received the degrees. Father Wilber, the State Chaplain, and Fathers Gambino and Vanderpool were present. The division was awarded the prize for last year for having secured the largest number of members.

MODERN MARVEL

Is St. Patrick's Cathedral
Now Ready For
Consecration.

Archbishop Farley has announced that St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York, will be consecrated in October, but the exact date has not been determined. It is dependent upon the great ceremonial of the Eucharistic Congress, which will be held in Montreal in September. It is expected that nearly all the Bishops and Archbishops in the United States will be present at the imposing ceremony in New York.

Nearly forty years have passed since the foundation work of St. Patrick's Cathedral was begun. Thirty years ago the Cathedral had been so far completed that it was roofed in, and it became possible to hold services therein. Its completion offered almost staggering problems to the communicants of the church. The architects had planned a Cathedral to last for ages, always to remain an admirable specimen of modern architectural beauty. The twin spires, which of themselves cost a large sum, might have been eliminated, but there was never a moment when the Bishop, Archbishop or the late Cardinal McCloskey had a thought of deviating from the original plan.

There remained for some years a debt of \$800,000 hanging over the Cathedral. This has all been paid and the solemn consecration will occasion general rejoicing throughout the archdiocese of New York. St. Patrick's is one of the finest of modern Cathedrals and its cost has been between \$3,500,000 and \$4,000,000.

HOPKINS' THEATER.

With a trio of special features in the way of full reel films and an unusually popular illustrated song, the programme booked for next week at the Hopkins promises to meet with the hearty approval of the patrons of the house. The films will show quaint comedy and dramatic subjects of more than ordinary interest. Besides these Manager Dustin will present some entirely new scenic novelties.

MASONIC THEATER.

That the Rober-Blanden Stock Company at the Maroon has made good with the Louisville Theater-going public was fully attested by the large attendance that marked all the performances this week. In its entirety the work of the company is most satisfactory and the performance unusually smooth. For next week the bill will be "Zaza" with matinees on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. This production will be

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PORTLAND VS. SHELBYVILLE.

The Shelbyville team of the Bluegrass League will play the strong Portland team at Portland Park tomorrow afternoon and will have Becker, formerly of the Southern League, in the box. Anton Kuhn, Manager of Shelbyville and a former Louisville boy, will have his strongest line-up, as he hopes to retrieve the defeat of the Frankfort team by Portland two weeks ago, Frankfort having won the championship last year in the Bluegrass League. Portland's star pitcher, George Boardman, will oppose Becker on the slab and a fast game is expected.

CONFIRMS THREE HUNDRED.

Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue on Thursday of last week administered the sacrament of confirmation to a class of about 300 at St. Augustine's church at Lebanon. The services were unusually impressive, and as this was the Bishop's first visit, and the first confirmation there for a number of years, a congregation that taxed the capacity of the church was present.

IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of the Recent Events Culled From Exchanges.

James Quinn, D. C., was recently sworn in as Magistrate for County Mayo at the Ballinrobe Petty Sessions.

After twenty years' ministry at Clonmel, the Rev. P. Doocoy has been transferred to Ballybricken, County Waterford.

The death occurred at Ballysteen of Michael Naughton, a well known county farmer and a member of the Limerick County Council.

In opening the criminal business at Wicklow Quarter Sessions Judge Barry said there were only two bills to go before the grand jury.

There being no criminal business to dispose of at the Cork East Riding Quarter Sessions, the Recorder was presented with white gloves.

At the County Meath Criminal Sessions, held in Trim, the Judge congratulated the grand jury upon the peaceful condition of the district.

Longford Guardians decided to prosecute Major Fair, Local Government Board Inspector, for an alleged assault on a boy in the workhouse.

It is estimated that the damage done by fire to John Kenny's premises at Ballyhaunis is over \$30,000. The whole building is a complete wreck.

The death of Francis Donohue, which occurred at his residence at Newtownmore, is deeply regretted by a wide circle of friends in County Leitrim.

Four tenders were considered at Tullamore Urban Council for the extension of the waterworks, that of Patrick Grant, of Thurles, being accepted.

Among a large circle of friends the death of Justice George Edward Radcliff, of Kells, has caused much regret. He was in his seventy-seventh year.

Stephen McDonogh, of Dunmore, son of the Coroner for the district of North Galway, was elected Petty Sessions Clerk for the districts of Dunmore and Milltown.

Cattle driving has broken out afresh in North Mayo, extensive clearances of grazing farms having taken place at Rahalea, Lacken and on the Verschoyle estate.

Two brothers, Lawrence and Michael Kinsella, living near Gorey, County Wexford, have become heirs to a fortune of \$25,000 each by the death of an uncle in Australia.

The Portumna Guardians, under the Presidency of James Cosgrove, have elected Dr. Robert Fair medical officer of the Union Hospital, and Dr. M. Kennedy medical officer of the dispensary district.

John Hogan, aged twenty-three, a teacher in St. Patrick's College at Drumcondra, was killed by accidentally falling a distance of thirty feet from the cliff to the beach at Vico bathing place, Dalkey.

A cattle drive took place near Birr, when seventeen animals were driven four miles, but they were recovered next day. The same night a twelve-acre bog belonging to the same owner was set on fire.

Rev. J. A. O'Brien has been presented with a handsome address from members of the Gaelic branches of Rosnallis, Clonabeen, Hermitage and neighboring districts on his appointment to Goresbridge.

The death is announced at Dunraven of Patrick McCarthy, who in the days of Parnell took an active part in the Land League agitation, and once held the position of Chairman of the County Waterford Farmers' Association.

The death occurred somewhat suddenly at Killarney of Daniel Spillane, in his fifty-eighth year. He was a member of the Urban Council and the Poor Law Board, and always showed a practical interest in the welfare of the town.

IMPROVEMENT.

Louisville Ball Team Recovering From Crippled Condition.

The Colonels will meet Bill Friel's Columbus Senators again this afternoon, tomorrow and Monday, and then leave for a month's trip throughout the entire circuit, meeting every team, not returning home until June 1. The decided improvement in the team's playing has again buoyed the hopes of the fans, who realize that the sick and crippled condition of the players, coupled with extreme hard luck, was in a great measure responsible for the bad start of the Colonels, and that with a near-regular line-up the team was very strong, which was proven by their defeat of Toledo, who had been leading the league until their advent here.

The present infield of Howard, Woodruff, Moriarty and Sullivan is a veritable stone wall. The playing of Woodruff at second base improves every game, and if continued there will be second to none in the association. About the only criticism of Moriarty that can be made is that he takes too many chances of getting hurt in his efforts to win games, but there is no denying the fact that his gameness and spirit make pennant winners. About the most modest member of the team and the most consistent hitter is Homer Smoot, whose timely hitting has been a treat to the fans, and who is playing the best game of his career. President Grayson has proven that he has spared no expense thus far in giving Louisville a strong team, and the public should show its appreciation by crowding the park for these last three games.

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